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Registration No. 45,224**Fax:** (703) 872 - 9306**Fax:** (864) 503 - 1999**Phone:** (571) 272 - 1483**Phone:** (864) 503 - 2194**Subject:** US Application No. 09 / 876,702  
Application of: Keshavaraj  
"Air Bag Tether Construction"  
Docket No.: 2178A  
Examiner: Arti Singh  
Art Unit: 1771**Date:**February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2005**Copies:****Pages:** 10 (including coversheet)**Comments:**

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Application of: Ramesh Keshavaraj

Serial Number: 09 / 876,702

Filed: June 7, 2001

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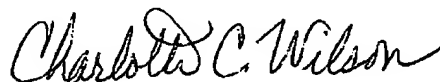
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## RESPONSE

In response to a telephone conversation with the Examiner on January 31, 2005, please find enclosed four Terminal Disclaimers and copies thereof.

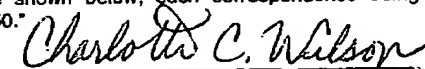
Believing all formal requirements to now be met, Applicants respectfully request the application be passed expeditiously to issue.

Respectfully requested,

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